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2PM - Bob Quinn called me and suggested that Charlotte Mason, he & the Deputy Director of the EOCNP meet in Charlotte's office at 930 AM on Tuesday the 24th to talk about Carbondale's economic future. Excellent at 210PM I tried City Hall (282-4110; 282-4632) and found none there. I will call Charlotte tomorrow.

330PM - arrived at City Hall; Paul & Jim & Ed were there; we went up and began working on windows & on paint scraping. There was an electricity problem in the building -- faulty wiring in the area of the police station -- and so we didn't have lights and had to stop at 530 or so. We assisted the Christmas decoration people to put the street decorations in the basement of the building & not on the 3rd floor. I returned here and phone JVB to tell him that work was not possible at this time. Paul had already called. We talked for a bit & JVB said he would be by later on. I worked on arranging / sorting / collating the WSP section of PN II. JVB arrived and suggested we walk down to Ames so that he could buy some gym shorts. En route JVB talked about his hypothetical railroad -- the LSW -- Larkawanna, Susquehanna & Wayne. We discussed routes & such. I said that I wished I had a million dollars so that I could give it to JVB for his railroad. No gym shorts at Ames. We stopped in and visited Robert Evancho. A very bizarre fellow, but very sympathetic. He showed us around the former Crane armory & we talked about Carbondale antiquities. We went to Mister Donut -- Joe Jacobina was there. We discussed the dumpster from aliter and I thanked him for having made the arrangements. JVB & I walked up to 46 Canaan -- Ann (a neighbor) was there and we played blackjack & 21 at the kitchen table for about an hour. Tomorrow is the 84th day of the school year & the seniors do not have to attend since this is their year. What a peculiar rule. At any rate, John will stay home if his parents don't object. If they do object to his staying home, he said to me that he will pretend he is going to school and come over here and spend the day. On verra.